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B. P. O. ELKS OF KENTUCKY IN CONVENTION HERE

ARTHUR RHORER, HEAD OF LOCAL LODGE, ELECTED PRESIDENT OF KENTUCKY ELKS THIS MORNING

Sessions Begin at 9:45 Today at Manring With Impressive Memorial Service for Harding and Past President of B. P. O. E.

HENDERSON UNANIMOUS CHOICE FOR CONVENTION THIS YEAR

Arthur Rhorer, of Middlesboro, was unanimously elected president of the State Association, B. P. O. E. at noon today. This well merited honor comes to Mr. Rhorer after many years of service and devotion to the high ideals of the order.

Other officers elected were: E. N. Williams, Henderson, first vice-president; Ben H. Sachs, Louisville, second vice-president; John McCarthy, Newport, third vice-president; Fred O. Nuetzel, Louisville, was reelected secretary for the eighth term; Thomas R. Monarch, Owensboro, treasurer; Carl A. Wells, Paducah, P. J. Carroll, Covington, and Clyde R. Levi, Ashland, were elected trustees. Henderson was unanimously selected as the next meeting place of the state association.

Bosworth Welcomes Elks

The delegates assembled at the Manring theater at 9:45 this morning. After a number of lively pieces by the orchestra, the meeting was formally opened by all present rising and singing "America." Arthur Rhorer presided during the preliminary part of the meeting and introduced Judge Joe F. Bosworth who delivered the address of welcome.

"It indeed gives me great pleasure to welcome you and your wives to the city," he began. "Last night I called a special meeting of the mayor and city council. I told them of the Elks convention and that we all expected to have a good time and asked them for special privileges.

"They retired to a secret room and considered the matter. After a while they came out and in a very serious tone announced that you may violate all the statutes on our books except two. They respectfully ask that you don't burn any of our houses or shoot any of our citizens.

"Now we want you all to have a good time and we will even furnish you a special policeman to show you where everything is."

The brief address was frequently interrupted by loud applause from the audience. Clyde Levi, president of the state association B. P. O. E., was introduced and made a response to the welcome address.

"Judge Bosworth has told us not to shoot any citizens but he did not say anything about the citizens half-shooting us. We are not afraid of your two policemen and your city judge. We mean to capture the city, not by force of arms as was used on the Pinnacle during the Civil War, but by love and affection.

State Presidents Responds

"Many of us have not been to Middlesboro before but we all know about it. For progress, development and happy homes it is the best place that God has ever made. It is here that we receive a reception, not only of the hand, but also of the heart. I am sure that we will leave with many pleasant recollections of your city."

The president's eloquent response was well received. He then took charge of the meeting and began the memorial service for Warren G. Harding, late president of the United States, and A. M. Hoffstedt, late past president of the B. P. O. E.

The entire assemblage rose and offered a silent prayer, after which Ernest Warren recited a very impressive prayer for the deceased members.

Sylvester Grove and Charles Cy Reinhart sang "The Vacant Chair," a selection very beautifully rendered and solemnly impressive.

Astley Apperly, of Louisville, made the memorial address. He paid a very beautiful tribute to the late President Harding dwelling briefly on his noble life and excellent traits of character.

Mr. Hoffstedt, he characterized as a member "ever willing to extend a helping hand to a brother Elk." We owe to the departed members "who are now sleeping in God's great heart the highest tributes of devotion and respect," he stated.

He spoke at length of the high ideals of the Elks and how these men had lived up to them. "If we conform to these ideals it is necessary that we divest ourselves of all selfishness since it is this that causes disorganization. We must make ourselves subordinate to the welfare and happiness of the great brotherhood of man."

In closing the speaker, a red rose in hand, recited a stanza of Whitcomb Riley's poem beginning, "The world is full of roses."

Business Over Early

Following this memorial address, Fred O. Nuetzel sang a stanza of "Life." He was assisted by Harry T. Myers at the piano. The musical selection was very appropriate and well received.

Arthur Rhorer closed this first session of the meeting by making a few announcements. He told the delegates that adequate cars, properly decorated and marked, would be available for their use while here but that they could use any car in case they could not find one for their special use. At 10:30 the business meeting of the state association began. All who were not members of the order were requested to withdraw before the secret meeting began.

At this session a motion that the State Association authorize the opening of headquarters at the National Convention at Boston next July was unanimously carried.

A. Bart Hatton, of Cincinnati, made an address which was well received by the delegates.

Telegrams from the present Grand Exalted Ruler James G. MacFarland, of Watertown, S. Dak., and Robert W. Brown who were unable to be present were read. The secretary also had letters from state presidents all over the country.

Big Barbecue at Neon

The delegates went directly to the Country club at the close of the meeting at the theater. At 1 o'clock the grand barbecue, an event that has been uppermost in the minds of many for weeks, began.

It took place about 100 yards from the club house. About 300 persons were present. There was no speaking and no formality, the occasion being entirely given over to enjoyment of the feast. Arthur, Exalted Ruler of the local lodge, presided at the barbecue.

The menu was thoroughly enjoyed by the guests. Barbecued beef, cold slaw, pickles, cheese and other delicious edibles were present in abundance.

The afternoon at the club was spent in leisure, many of the delegates enjoying a round on the golf links.

At 8 o'clock tonight the delegates will attend the Manring theater where a special program, consisting of vaudeville and pictures, has been prepared. At 9:30 p. m. they will attend the dance at the Booneway Inn.

Schedule For Tomorrow

The following is the schedule for tomorrow:

8 a. m. meeting of the State Assoctation.

9 a. m., motor trip to Tennessee and Virginia.

12:30 p. m. luncheon at Cumberland Hotel.

3 p. m., motor trip to Fern Lake, vaudeville.

8 p. m., gala night, fireworks, street dancing, Twentieth and Edgewood.

Tickets for the trip to Lynch have been selling rapidly and those who want to buy them would do well to do so without delay as all the reservations may be taken before Thursday. These may be bought at local drug stores and will not be for sale at the depot or on the train. The special train leaves at 8 o'clock Thursday morning and returns at 6:30 in the evening.

ARTHUR RHORER

WYOMING COAL MINE EXPLOSION TODAY TRAPS 150 MINERS

By Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 14.—One hundred and fifty miners are trapped as the result of an explosion in a coal mine at Kemmerer, Wyoming, according to a report here today. No other details were received.

BELL SYSTEM PLANS GREAT PROGRAM IN KY.

Expenditure of $369,000 in First Six Months, Largely for Long Distance Toll Lines—Gain of 1976 Telephones

NOW 57,700 BELL PHONES IN KENTUCKY

The extensive construction program which the Bell System has under way throughout Kentucky is making rapid progress and work involving an expenditure of more than $360,500 was completed during the first six months of this year.

Plans are under way for new additions, improvements and replacements to be started or finished before the end of the year amounting to more than $452,000, making the total expenditure in Kentucky more than $813,000 for the year 1923.

The telephone growth was rapid and continuous during the first half of the year. The Cumberland forces installed 5,617 new telephones discontinued 3,571 and moved 1,065 with the result that there was a net gain of 1976 Bell telephones in Kentucky.

Of the $452,000 involved in the plans for the balance of the year more than $360,500 will be invested at local telephone exchanges in various communities throughout the state. The balance will be invested in the long distance plant.

An enormous quantity of material will be used in the local projects, among these being 172,832 feet of aerial cabe of various dimensions, 9,024 feet of underground cable and 500 poles, in addition to the large amount of central office equipment to be added.

The extensions to the long distance plant and the reconstruction work on toll lines throughout the state will require 121,711 pounds of copper wire, more than 6,000 poles and 7,000 cross arms. The work will be done on 788 miles of long distance line and 933 poles will be moved on account of road improvements.

The additions made this year have greatly relieved the telephone congestion and the completion of the work now under way, or soon to be sarted, is expected to provide facilities for present and future needs.

There are now 57,700 Bell telephones in Kentucky and there is every indication that the increase during next six months will be greater than during the first part of the year.

In announcing the six months' record and the program for the immediate future, state manager L. K. Webb declares the achievement was due to the energy, efficiency and loyalty of the telephone workers of Kentucky.

TWELVE DEAD IN UTAH CLOUDBURST

Property Damage Will Probably Be Million—5 Boy Scouts Drown in Canyon

By Associated Press

SALT LAK ECITY, Aug. 14.—Twelve lives are believed lost in northern Utah as the result of a series of cloudbursts last night and early today. Property damage is expected to total a million. Four persons are know dead at Farmington, two men and a woman are reported dead at Willard and five Boy Scouts are reported drowned in a canyon east of Farmington.

Shelt Evans had his thumb cut off in an accident at the Chenoa mines yesterday and was admitted to the hospital for treatment.

Local Elks Lodge Third Oldest One In Kentucky

Middlesboro Lodge No. 119 B. P. O. E. was first organized here in the early boom days of the city, the second lodge in the state. It flourished for awhile, but, like so many other enterprises of that period, fell through when the days of depression came, and Lodge No. 119 finally disbanded.

July 6, 1906, then, the lodge was reorganized here as No. 1041 and started on the active career which has since characterized it. A little later it was given the old number back which ranks this lodge one hundred and nineteenth in age among the thousands of B. P. O. E. lodges in the country.

The first Elks' Home was the building which is now N. M. Shelburne's home. This place was sold to the King's Daughters for a hospital. In 1911 the Elks erected for their Home the building now occupied by Borsheer-Brummett Hospital. This was used as the Elks' Home for ten years, then sold for the hospital in 1921.

Last September the local lodge entered its new home, the second and third stories of Shelburne's drug store.

The B. P. O. E. has been a strong force in all civic activities in Middlesboro since its beginning. Many acts of charity and unselfish service are to be credited to them. It is particularly characteristic of this lodge that its works of mercy are never done in ostentation and that they strive to keep away from publicity.

Following is a list of the past exalted rulers of the chapter: J. F. Bosworth, William Wallbrecht, W. E. Cabell, E. S. Helburn, F. D. Hatt, Jr., R. J. Johnson, R. E. McNew, E. L. Camp, J. E. Evans, M. H. McCorkle, E. G. Sheafer and A. W. Rhorer.

Officers serving at present are:

Exalted Ruler, A. W. Rhorer; Leading Knight, A. W. Altman; Loyal Knight, W. F. Foley; Lecturing Knight, W. H. Seale; Secretary, Earnest Warren; Treasurer, I. Ginsburg; Esquire, E. G. Sheafer; Inner Guard, G. W. Day; Tiler, P. Costanza; Chaplain, A. J. Morris; Organist, F. R. Lear; Trustees, Wm. Wallbrecht, E. G. Sheafer and E. V. Albert.

The Elks' Creed is: "The faults of our brother, we write upon the sands, their virtues upon the tables of love and memory."

BALLS SKIP TRIAL BOND FORFEITED

Frank and Alva Ball Each Put Under New $3,000 Bond, Trial Set For October 22

Frank Ball and Alva Ball, both under indictment for malicious shooting with intent to kill, with trial set for today at London, failed to appear for the trial. As a result their bond was forfeited and they were put under a new bond of $3,000 each to appear at the same court the fourth Monday in *October. The cases are to be tried* before Judge A. T. Manning whose strict procedure in court is well known.

A number of witnesses went from here to the trial. Frank Ball and his son, Alva, were indicted in connection with the shooting at the Pineville court house May 17, 1922, in which one man was killed and several were seriously wounded. Floyd Ball, another son, held in the same case, was tried in London in June and sentenced to five *years in the penitentiary.*

STATE ACCEPTS EAST END BID

Mayor Telegraphs Highway Commission's Approval—Work to Begin At Once

The Humbard bid for the East End *street improvements was accepted by* the State Highway Commission yesterday, according to a telegram received from Mayor J. H. Keeney who submitted the bid accepted by the city to the state body.

According to a statement recently made by H. H. Asher member of the commission the state will be ready to begin work at once.

W. S. Anderson Back

W. S. Anderson has returned from a vacation spent in Tennessee. At Morristown, his former home, he conducted prayer service Wednesday night at a church where he was formerly superintendent of the Sunday school.

M. E. Church, South, Stewards Meet

There will be a meeting of the board of stewards of the M. E. Church, South at the church at 7:30 tonight for the purpose of attending to the financial affairs of the church. All members are urged to be present.

SLAYS WIFE AND MOTHER-IN-LAW

New Hampshire Man Held For Double Murder When Dismembered Bodies Women Found

By Associated Press

MEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 14.—Nunis G. Tsekos of Franklin, N. H., was arrested here today charged with murder after two boxes containing the dismembered bodies of two women were found in a field here. Police say he confessed to killing his wife, Natalie, and her mother, Mrs. Kate Adams, Saturday night after a quarrel. He said they attacked him and he stabbed his wife and cut her mother's throat.

PROMINENT N. Y. BUCKETERS TO JAIL

Five Well Known Men Indicted For Conspiracy to Conceal Assets in Bankrupt Case

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Five widely known men, some of them men of wealth, will be indicted for conspiracy to conceal assets in bankrupt stock of the bucketing firm of E. M. Fuller and company and lodged in Tombs for the night to await trial in Federal court, it was reported on high authority at the Federal building here today shortly after the specila grand jury inquiring in the Fuller case reconvened. After luncheon Federal agents arrived to serve bench warrants which are expected to be issued as soon as indictments are returned. Meanwhile a police patrol is ordered ready to take the prospective prisoners to jail. All are under close surveillance.

HUNG JURY IN LIQUOR CASE BEFORE MAGISTRATE

A mistrial resulted in the case of Lloyd Vaughn, tried before Magistrate Charles G. Smyth yesterday afternoon on a charge of unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor. Three of the jurors favored acquittal while the other three were for conviction. The case will be tried again at 1:30 Monday.

The Commonwealth sought to prove that defendant had sold to General Turner, deputy sheriff, a jar of liquor. Defendant denied the contention.

NO REPAIRS YET IN FERN LAKE ROAD

Slag Ran Out Before It Got That Far —More Material Expected Before Long

No repairs have been made to the Fern Lake road yet, no slag having been available for this particular place. Citizens have spent over a hundred dollars in preparing a part of the road for the material and it is thought that the old slag may be obtained when some more of it is removed from the streets.

There were so many demands for the slag that it was impossible that the city engineer fill them all from the first paving that was taken up. Since the repair of the Fern Lake road is a matter of interest to every one here no difficulty in getting the old material is expected.

"The road is one that we all want to keep in good repair," said a citizen today. "If we have a friend visit us the first place that we want to show him is Fern Lake. If something is not done for the road it will be almost impassable soon."

Inheritance Taxes Reported

FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 14.—Inheritance tax collections from mity-six estaes in Kentucky during July totaled $18,427.13, according to the monthly report given out today by the State Tax Commission. The largest single tax $8,402 was on the Virginia Tyler Robinsion estate in Jefferson county.

NEW CHANCELLOR GIVES GERMAN RUHR DEMANDS

Stresemann Asks Restoration of Control, Reestablishment Versailles Terms, Liberation all German Citizens Held

TWELVE KILLED, 80 HURT IN RIOTING LAST NIGHT

By Associated Press

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—Dr. Gustave Stresemann, new German chancellor, in his inauguration speech to the Reichtag today, outlined the conditions under which Germany was ready to abandon passive resistance in the Ruhr. It included complete restoration of German right to contro the Ruhr, reestablishment of conditions in the Rhineland, vouchsafed under the Treaty of Versailles, and the liberation of every German citizen who had been outraged evicted or imprisoned. He made no mention of evacuation of the occupied areas.

By Associated Press

AIX LA CHAPPELLE, Aug. 14.—Twelve Germans were killed and more than eighty were wounded last night when crowds attempted to storm police headquarters and rescue prisoners taken during the day when police broke up the food shortage demonstration.

EDGEWOOD ROAD TO BE REPAIRED

Asphalt Company Will Stand Expense, Work to Be Done By Humbard Construction Co.

Edgewood road will be repaired entirely at the expense of the Kentucky Rock Asphalt company, the Humbard Construction company doing the work, according to a statement made by John Humbard this afternoon.

A Chicago engineer was in town recently, without the knowledge of any one except Mr. Humbard and the two looked over the street. In places, it was discovered, the asphalt paving was lower than the concrete gutters, a condition that allowed the water to run under the paving instead of draining into the gutter.

The asphalt company contends the defects are not due to inferior material but to the manner in which the street was constructed. However, it is willing to make the street as good as new in order that there will be no further complain.

Mr. Humbard says that the repair work will begin as soon as the section of Cumberland avenue where the crew is now working is completed. If deliveries of rock are prompt the avenue, to Eighteenth street, will be completed before the end of the week, he stated. The block between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets was practically completed, including the asphalt work, this afternoon.

INDIANA GASOLINE DROPS 6.6 CENTS

Protest in Kentucky That Decrease Effective in Many Other States Is Not Felt Here

By Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 14.—Oil company officials here today admitted the situation cannot long continue whereby Kentucky motorists pay 22 cents a gallon for gasoline while across the river in Indiana it sells for 18.3 cents. The situation was created by a reduction of 6.6 cents a gallon by the Standard Oil company of Indiana. Harry McGoodwin, district manager for the Standard Oil company of Kentucky, however, said today he did not believe the situation could long continue. He did not say whether the Indiana price would go up or the Kentucky price come down.

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Sharp reductions of the price of gasoline were announced by competitive companies in fifteen states today. This resulted from the widespread selling of oil company stock on the stock exchange here today. Maracaibo, Transcontinental, Invincible, Sinclair, Common and Preferred, Skelly and Middle States are among the shares which fell to new low records.

MORE STREET CONSTRUCTION TO BE INSTITUTED

Eighteenth and Nineteenth Street Intersections to Be Reconstructed —Matter of Faulty Drainage in City Discussed

ENGLEWOOD TO HAVE CONCRETE BASE STREET

Recommendation that bids for the reconstruction of a part of Lynnwood road, Eighteenth street from Cumberland to Lothbury and Nineteenth street from Cumberland to Lothbury, be advertised was adopted at the city council meeting last night.

The work will be done at the exclusive expense of the abutting property owners. These will be allowed to choose the materials from which the streets will be built, insofar as the choice conforms to the specifications.

A number of petitions from property owners in various sections of town where the street improvement work is contemplated were submitted and motion that they be referred to the city engineer was adopted.

A discussion of the East End ball park proposition was evoked when a reading of the deed was begun. John Howard stated that the sheriff levied an execution against it for an indebtedness of Joe Alderson some time ago, that the grandstand had been sold to George Gray and that the latter had been restrained from removing it. He suggested that the city procure an abstract title indicating all liens, if any, against the property.

Others present, including R. L. Maddox, city attorney, were of the opinion that Alderson had no interest in the place, that R. E. Chumley was the sole owner. Motion that the mayor investigate the title before executing the deed was adopted.

A petition by the property owners of Englewood road that a concrete instead of an asphalt top be constructed on that street was granted.

The question of overflow in various parts of town on account of inadequate drainage system was discussed.

These matters were referred to the city engineer.

A lengthy discussion about the extension of Lothbury avenue on which D. C. Sellers has built a house and which was recently the subject of litigation at Pineville took place. John Howard contended that continuous use of a thoroughfare that had not been dedicated as a street technically made it such. Motion that Mr. Maddox cooperate with others in further litigation of this proposition was passed.

Recommendation that the K. U. company be allowed to build a switch at ice plant on Nineteenth street was made and adopted.

The addition of Jess Hatton to the night police force was authorized by the council. It was stated that he began work on August 1.

M. G. Hubbard presided last night in the absence of Mayor J. H. Keeney who was in Frankfort on business connected with the East End bid.

REVISING "THE SPIRIT OF LINCOLN" FOR PATHE NEWS

HARROGATE, Aug. 14.—Mrs. R. B. Parker, general secretary of the Woman's News Service of New York City, is at Lincoln Memorial University this week in the interest of the Pathe revision of "The Spirit of Lincoln." Mrs. Parker's daughter, Mrs. Gladys Parker Williamson, wrote "The Spirit of Lincoln." Mrs. Parker is assisting the Pathe people in revising the film and in bringing it up to a more fitting climax.

NINE HOUSE PATTERNS SOLD RECENTLY BY CITY LUMBER CO.

Complete house patterns have been sold to the following persons by the City Lumber and Supply company recently: Sarah Campbell, two cottages; Ella Hurst; Dillard Johnson and Robert Marlor, the Junction; William Walliford, Noetown; Clay Evans, Binghamtown; Mrs. M. Pridemore, West End and A. T. Routh, Twenty-first street.

Weather Forecast

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—For Kentucky: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Not quite so warm in west portion Wednesday.

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A THOUGHT

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Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face.—Ps. 89:14.

A good man doubles the length of his existence; to have lived so as to look back with pleasure on our past existence is to live twice.—Martial.

FUNDAMENTALS GOVERNING WAGE SCALES

We are carrying today in this issue a statement made by a professor of economy which we believe is hitting at the root of the question of equitable wage scales. We reprint it because we believe that the idea is based upon fundamental principles which should be taken into consideration by both employer and employee when negotiating wage scales. Read it carefully and weigh every angle brought out. We believe that you will agree with its soundness.

BAD BUSINESS

When a foreign national walks into an American consulate abroad and expresses the intention of some day emigrating to this country he pays a fee of $1 for the privilege of writing his name into a book. If he decides to start he lays down $9 more for a vise to his papers. In exchange for either of these sums the payer gets a guarantee of not much of anything.

Several European countries charge $9 or so for vises to American passports. The difference in the two instances is that in the latter case the American gets into the country whose consul signs the vise. The foreigner who paid $1 and then $9 may get as far as Ellis Island, have an opportunity to admire the skyline and then be shipped back home because it happens to be the twenty-seventh of the month instead of the first and because this country passes on the eligibility of immigrants here instead of across the water. No refund is made of the fees.

In addition to the waste of time and the heartaches and defeated hopes involved there is this matter of $1 which is a month's pay for common labor in some sections of Europe, or of $9 which must be a hundredweight of Russian paper money. America is said to have collected more than $1,000,000 a year in registration fees from persons who have not the slightest chance in the world of ever breaking into this country.

This is just another strong argument in favor of sorting these people abroad and giving a permit to enter only to those who will be permitted to enter.

Uncle Sam ought never to be a double crosser.

WELCOME TO THE ELKS OF KENTUCKY

This week Middlesboro is welcoming unreservedly the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of all the lodges in Kentucky to be its guests and to enjoy what courtesies it is in the power of the city to bestow. That this welcome is sincere the visitors who throng our streets and meet our citizens can but deduct.

The Elks, as one of the oldest and most honorable of lodges, have long been an important factor in the civic lives of thousands of cities in the United States. Such fraternal orders are always recognized for their great work in developing the common brotherhood of man, of enlarging our viewpoint and making us by social contact with others broader minded and more useful in our personal dealings. The Elks lodge, as one of the most popular organizations of this kind, has done a work and continues to do a work whose value is inestimable.

Here in Middlesboro and in Kentucky the accomplishments of the Elks lodge are seen on every side. The local lodge by bringing together the most prominent business men of Middlesboro, Pineville, Harlan, Lynch, Benham and Poor Fork, as well as other mining centers, has done more to knit together the interests of these towns than anything else. The interests in all of these places are practically the same and there is every reason why they should work in unity for the development of these interests. Yet little progress in this line was made before the Elks took the matter up.

So it is all over the state that the work of B. P. O. E. stands out. Not in ostentation and never boastfully, but ever steadfast, charitable and unselfish their work goes on and will remain as long as the ideals and standards of the lodge are adhered to.

The huge asphalt arrow at the intersection of Twentieth street and Cumberland avenue has caused some comment. The meaning of it is clear. It is to point the way to jail to speeders.

From decisions in recent cases it would seem that the safest thing on earth is the killing of an officer.

We don't know where Moses was when his light went out, but he must have been using K. U. current.

We don't know what B. P. O. E. means, but since seeing the delegates today we are constrained to believe that it must mean Best People On Earth.

The Tangle
AN INTIMATE STORY OF INNERMOST EMOTIONS REVEALED IN PRIVATE LETTERS
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LETTER FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO SYDNEY CARTON

I didn't have more than time to ask you to [illegible] when I sent you that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

I'm [illegible] glad I [illegible] [illegible] Holley [illegible] I think [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible] picture [illegible] [illegible] everything [illegible] daughter might bring to her.

I [illegible] mother [illegible] should be proud [illegible] little Paula but [illegible] [illegible] myself. Will you ever get this [illegible] [illegible] standard?

The only [illegible] that Paula [illegible] ever committed was [illegible] loving me too much, Syd, and although the [illegible] and prunes might criticize her greatly, I only feel that I should [illegible] her forgiveness.

But is strange, Syd, that I am taking in my arms every day a child [illegible] making my parentage and finding that child is growing very [illegible] [illegible] my heart, what my own child I probably will never look upon.

No, Syd, I do not think I could be big enough to bring my own child into my home under the circumstances you speak about. Certainly I could not do it without telling Leslie, and I am too big a coward to tell her that, too much afraid of losing her love.

When I think of it now, I think the Fates have been pretty good to me after all. Leslie trusts and respects me and I am pretty sure that Paula is going to be no worse because of her experience.

But [illegible] people will tell you that [illegible] a great tragedy and a great [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

I wish you [illegible] the baby, Syd. [illegible] and would you believe it [illegible] the moment that he feels [illegible] [illegible] he has that [illegible] [illegible] which [illegible] [illegible] that I have.

[illegible] all [illegible] attention [illegible] I [illegible] know that I wrinkled my nose when I [illegible] [illegible] however [illegible] [illegible] that [illegible] little physical [illegible] [illegible] I remember [illegible] that Paula's baby had it. I thought it very [illegible] when you said it was like mine.

I am buckling down to work with [illegible]. While Leslie was [illegible] ill I could do nothing, but now I have much more [illegible] than I ever [illegible].

Leslie is going out motoring with me for the first time tomorrow and I expect Mrs. Hamilton will be leaving very soon for home.

By the way, my own mother is [illegible] my old [illegible] [illegible] child very [illegible]. [illegible] perhaps because that everlasting old maid Priscilla Bradford [illegible] with her than she would [illegible] she [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] recently [illegible] she has not heard from mother, but she would be more hurt if she could see [illegible] of the letters that have passed between mother and me.

What an awful mix-up [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

—Jack

TOMORROW—Priscilla Bradford to John Prescott—A sorrowful letter from home.

Tom Sims Says

Been reading so many European war rumors lately we forget and say [illegible] [illegible] confusion.

One Sunday was so quiet in Berlin they had only two [illegible].

Chinese are worrying the British. Can't solve the Chinese puzzle.

Secretary of Treasury Mellon is in Paris. He knows his business. Left the treasury at home.

Pro-dynamite plot found at Cologne. It wasn't sweet of them.

Mussolini continues being the savior of Italy. His name continues to sound like a wrestler.

Keep away from Athens. Girls wearing sleeveless dresses there are smeared with tar.

Bank 107 years old has closed in Vienna. It found the first 100 years the easiest.

Geneva women are trying to protect children from evil movies. Leave them at home.

Dr. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] church and down [illegible] law.

[illegible] McLean [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] when he has a [illegible] [illegible] his stand.

[illegible] [illegible] Europe. One of every [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Europe.

Improvement in America is reported. New York robber whipped for [illegible] singing "Yes, We Have No Bananas."

Detroit man had four wives. Strange thing is all were his.

[illegible] in New York is supposed to have three [illegible] [illegible].

Somebody [illegible] will have [illegible] [illegible] 1000 [illegible] will [illegible] much [illegible].

We haven't been to the movies this week [illegible] all the [illegible] we [illegible].

The [illegible] are getting so [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] from coast to [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] gentleman. Rather that [illegible] [illegible] Bills.

Babe Ruth tried to catch a burglar but only caught him out.

San Antonio, Tex., golfer played 19 hours. Hope he found it.

Louisville, Ky., man was arrested for spanking his wife. Bustles, however, are coming back.

Some men will shine. One made $530 shining shoes in Sing Sing.

[illegible]

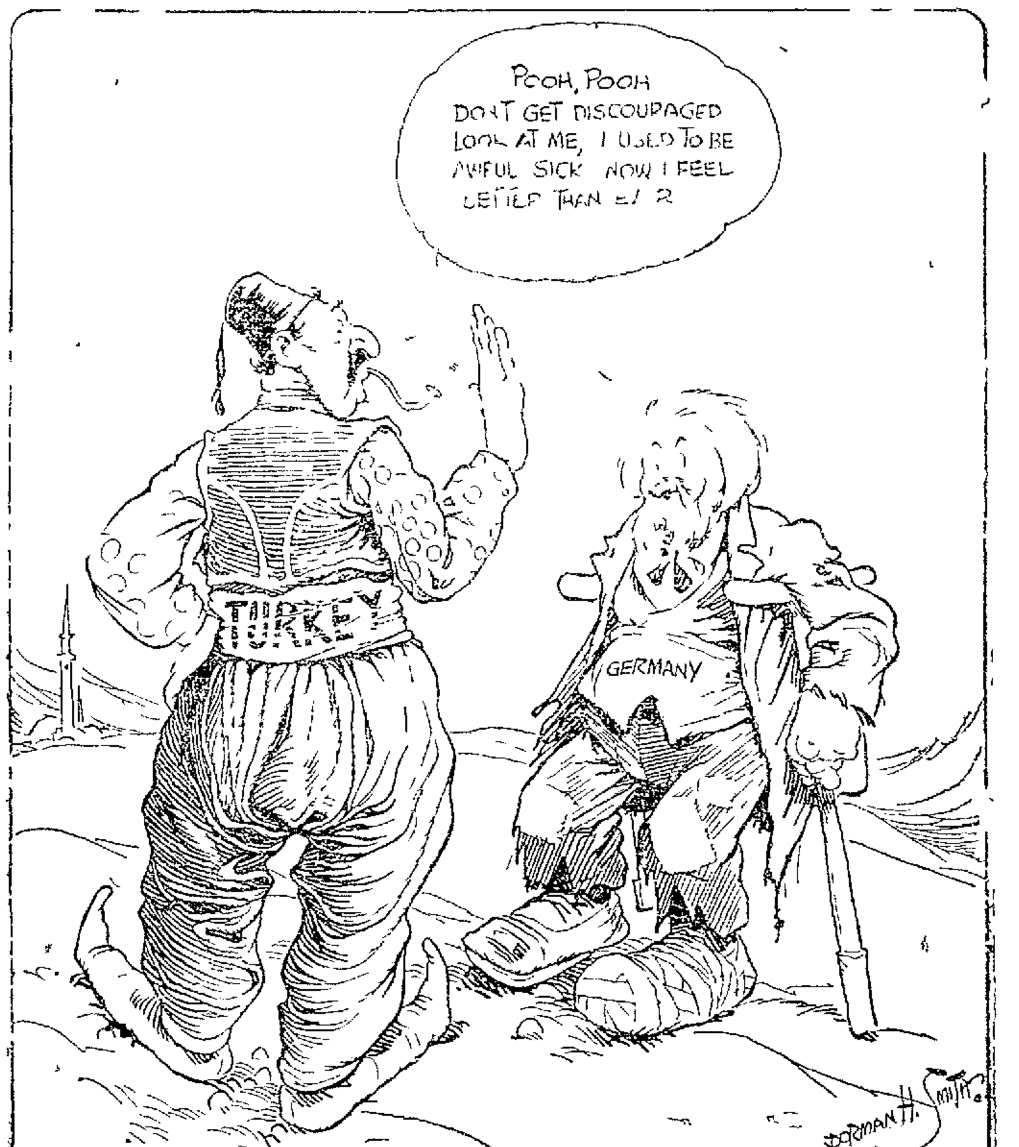
SUPPLY AND DEMAND CONTROL WAGES

Many people, including employers themselves, believe that employers control wages, but they do not. The law of demand and supply fixes wages and nothing else. Wages should be based on the principle that the laborer should be paid what his labor is worth. He will find his level.

The theory that wealth is made by the hands is a fallacy. It takes brains to make wealth, not hands, and each should be paid in accordance with the value of the services rendered. The principle that a man should be paid according to his needs rather than according to his needs rather than worth and not the labor he performs is undermining American manhood and is breaking down the initiative of men to work. An industry should be free to employ whom it pleases, when it pleases, at wages mutually satisfactory to them without the interference from anyone whatsoever. A man would be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] when he is assured of certain wage, whether he works or not. That very thing is happening in this country today, and unless there is a change it will result in socialism and the ruination of American industry.

From an address by Dr. G. W. Dyer, professor of Political Economy in Vanderbilt University, Nashville, before the Employers Association of Fort Wayne, Ind.

THE SICK MAN OF EUROPE



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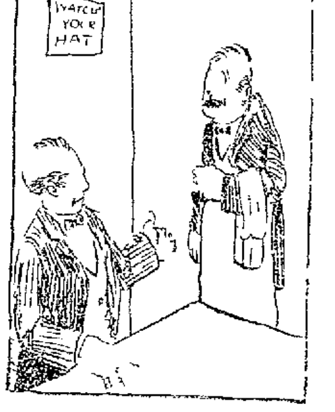

Waiter: Did you ring, sir?
Hungry Customer: Did I ring? Why, I was tolling the bell—I thought you were dead.

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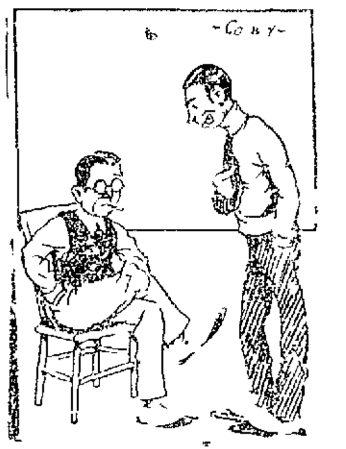
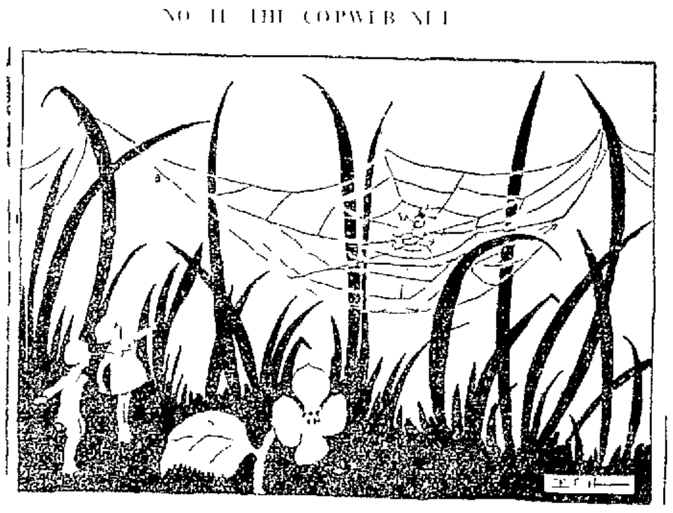


Henry: Do you know [illegible]?
Harry: Sure. He wishes my shirt.

Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton

NO. 11. THE COBWEB NET



'Help! Help! I can't get away,' he called loudly.

Until Georgie Porgie Pee Wee was [illegible]. He was so lost that not a shoe [illegible] him was left.

His daddy felt dreadful, his aunts and uncles felt worse still, and his mummy felt worst of all.

They looked everywhere, then they sent word to Snookums, the wise little King of Pee Wee Land, and Snookums sent word to the Twins.

"You'll have to find Georgie Porgie at once," he said when Nancy and Nick came hurrying in their magic shoes and bumped their heels three times against the royal throne. "Try to find him at once, I need some. If you don't, I'm afraid his daddy will have a fit, his aunts and uncles two fits, and his mother half a dozen fits. No doubt, like so many of my other subjects, he has jumped on one of those pesky lightning bugs and gone some place."

"Oh, we'll find him," said Nancy. "We've found every Pee Wee we started out to find and I'm sure Georgie [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] either."

So away they went to look for the little Pee Wee fellow who was so small he could have hidden in a fairy's thimble.

First they looked under the mandrake leaves, but he wasn't there. Then they looked in the daisy patch, but he wasn't there. Then they came to the meadow where a hundred little giant spiders had woven a hundred little webs all looking like lace doilies on a green table.

And there was Georgie Porgie Pee Wee sticking in one of them.

"Help, help! I can't get away," he called loudly. "Help! I'm caught!"

When the Twins hauled him out he told how it happened. "I was playing circus," he said, "jumping from one blade of grass to another and pretending the spider web was a net to catch me like the circus people when they fall. It caught me all right, I'll say! It's a good thing you came along, or I'd made a nice dinner for Mrs. Spider."

(To Be Continued)

Berton Braley's Poem

A Vacation Litany

From places where they dress
In Paris fashions, say,
Where rates are merciless
From twenty bones a day,
With tips we have to pay
Which give us feelings shiverous,
From spots that make us gray
Good Lord, deliver us.

From jazz by day and night
From hotel concerts, too,
From ladies whose delight
Is trade the whole day through
From smart young folk who do
Strange dances quiverous
And never [illegible] a shoe
Good Lord, deliver us.

From private links (six holes)
Three bucks or more a round
Where every ball that rolls
Is lost and never found
From porches which abound
In gossip-hound carnivorous
Whose tongues with scandal sound
Good Lord, deliver us!

From front and swell and bluff
With which hotel men flivver us
From all that high-class stuff
Good Lord, deliver us.

Irene Castle, the dancer, returned from Europe with a pet goat, which was not her husband.

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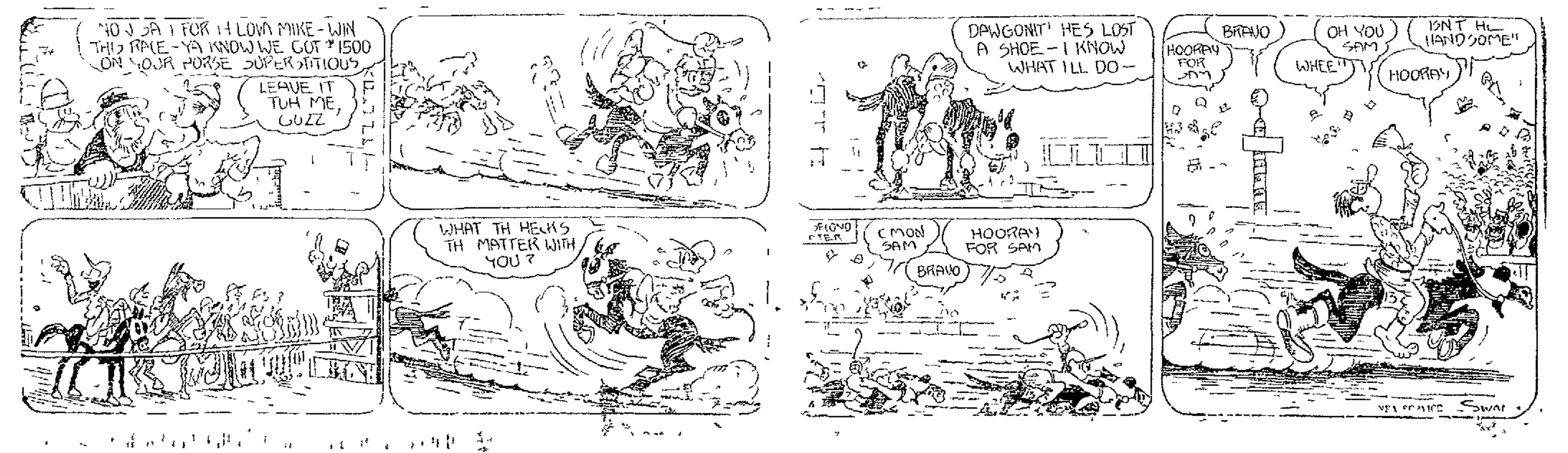
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HOORAY FOR SAM
BRAVO
HOORAY FOR SAM
BRAVO
OH YOU SAM
ISN'T HE HANDSOME
WHEE
HOORAY
SWAN

SOCIETY

The item of news and society in your neighborhood are interesting to other readers of our paper. Why not phone them in? Call 63.

THE OLD FAMILIAR FACES

I have had playmates, I have had companions,
In my days of childhood, in my joyful school days—
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.
I have been laughing, I have been carousing,
Drinking late, sitting late, with my bosom cronies—
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.
I loved a love once, fairest among women:
Closed are her doors on me, I must not see her—
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.
Ghost-like I paced round the haunts of my childhood,
Earth seemed a desert I was bound to traverse,
Seeking to find the old familiar faces.
Friend of my bosom, thou more than a brother,
Why wert not thou born in my father's dwelling?
So might we talk of the old familiar faces—
How some they have died, and some they have left me,
And some are taken from me; all are departed—
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.
—Charles Lamb

Dance For Elks At Booneway Tonight

A dance will be given tonight at the Booneway Inn for the visiting Elks and local Elks and their friends. Dancing will begin at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Guy Wilson Entertains

Mrs. Guy Wilson entertained about twenty five friends with a wiener roast at Fern Lake last night in honor of her sister Miss Elizabeth Wilson [illegible] who [illegible] After the picnic supper [illegible] [illegible] was moved.

Miss [illegible] Sarvis Of Christian Church

[illegible]

Ladies Aid Society Meets Tomorrow

[illegible] Aid Society [illegible] Christian Church [illegible]

Mrs. Paul Nuckols Hostess at Pineville

Mrs. Paul Nuckols [illegible] Mrs. N. H. Steel Sr. [illegible] will entertain [illegible] this afternoon [illegible] Mrs. C. J. Hollingsworth [illegible] Mrs. Hollingsworth, Mrs. [illegible] Hollingsworth [illegible] Schultz, Mrs. C. W. [illegible], Mrs. H. S. Hebner and Miss Mary Hebner.

Week End Guests At [illegible]

Miss [illegible] and Miss Elizabeth [illegible] with Mr. [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] St. [illegible] [illegible] their schools at the end of the [illegible].

Miss Myrtle Thompson Finishes University Work

Miss [illegible] Thompson arrived this [illegible] where she has been attending the University [illegible] from which she received [illegible] She will spend the remainder [illegible] here.

Mrs. R. C. [illegible] Entertains Club

[illegible] Club was entertained [illegible] by Mrs. R. C. [illegible] at her home in Englewood [illegible] prettily decorated [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. C. K. [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Schultz, [illegible] Mrs. J. M. Logan, [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Yeatman [illegible]

Dill Pickles

Every old garden had its bed of dill and now that so many women are cultivating old fashioned gardens, why not include this fragrant old [illegible]. Dill [illegible] dried and used during [illegible] when greens are [illegible] plain salads, egg salads and [illegible] stand in cold water [illegible] for winter use in [illegible]

And nearly everyone likes the tang of dill in pickles with wiener or club sandwiches.

Dill pickles are usually made of cucumbers from three to four inches long. The cucumbers can be put into the brine as gathered a few at a time until the crock containing them is full. Then cover with grape leaves to keep green and cure [illegible] top spoil[illegible]

Dill Pickles

Wash cucumbers and wipe smooth and dry. Make a brine of ten quarts of water and one quart salt. Put cucumbers in brine, cover with a weight to keep under the brine and let stand 24 hours. Remove from brine. Put a layer of dill in the bottom of a deep crock. Add cucumbers to almost half fill the crock. Add another layer of dill and fill crock to within two or three inches from the top. Cover with layer of dill.

Pour over a brine made of four quarts of water, one and one half quarts vinegar and one quart salt. Boil this mixture for 10 minutes. Let stand till cool and pour over cucumbers. The brine must completely cover the cucumbers to prevent mould. Put a layer of the grape leaves over the whole.

Ella's Pickles

One cup ground mustard, one scant cup salt, three quarts of vinegar, one quart water, small cucumbers.

Mix mustard, salt, vinegar and water and bring to the boiling point. Boil three minutes and let stand till cold. Wipe cucumbers dry with a clean soft cloth and put in a stone crock. Pour over vinegar and let stand three or four days before using.

These pickles can be made as the cucumbers are gathered. They are not soaked in brine before pickling. To keep cover with a weight and store in a dry cool place.

Crisp Pickles

One cup rock salt, one cup mustard, one cup sugar, one gallon vinegar, horseradish root.

Wash cucumbers and wipe dry. Put in stone crock. Add horseradish root well washed and cut in quarter-inch pieces. Put a layer of horseradish over each layer of cucumbers. Mix salt, mustard, sugar and vinegar and let stand until dissolved. Pour over cucumbers. Continue to add cucumbers and horseradish until crock is full.

Wash and wipe grape leaves. Cover cucumbers with seven or eight long pieces of horseradish and a thick layer of the grape leaves. Put a large plate over the crock and store in a dark cool place.

The pickles will be ready for use in six weeks. The horseradish [illegible] keeps the pickles crisp. If the vinegar is very strong dilute it with water. [illegible] strong vinegar [illegible] the cause of salty pickles. Rinse pickles in cold water before serving.

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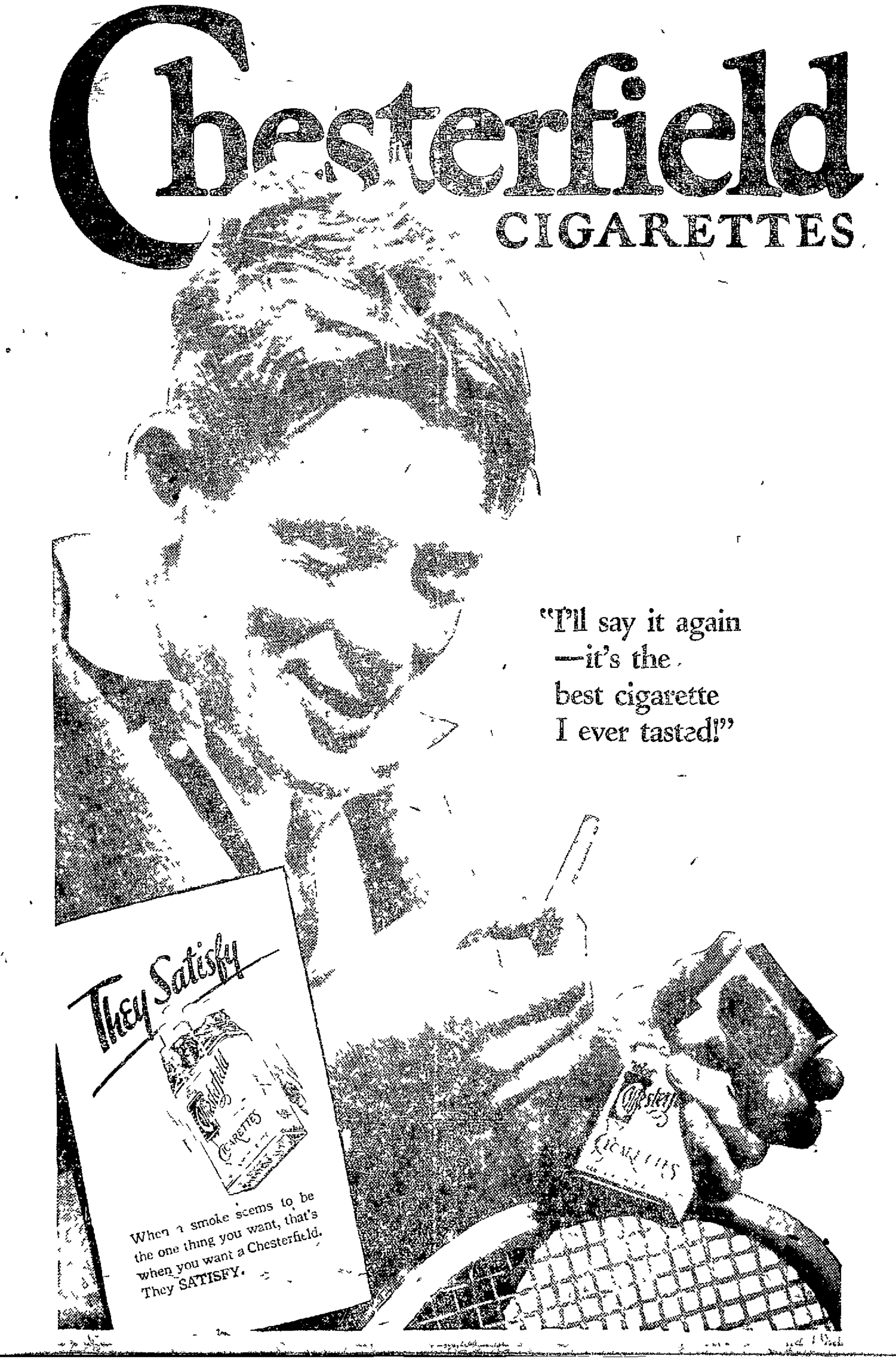
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Health Of Working Women

[illegible] often feel that [illegible] which they are [illegible] a hard time [illegible] factory. Many women [illegible] industrial [illegible]

[illegible] of many occupations [illegible] this has [illegible] ders with a lower [illegible] and bad [illegible]

Medical Profession Alarmed

The medical profession [illegible] years watched with [illegible] evils and [illegible] of working women [illegible] rapid [illegible]. The principal [illegible] ducted in this [illegible] are diseases, tubercul[illegible] and faulty vision. Such positions interfere with proper breathing and [illegible] best development.

The ribs and enclosed organs are forced down upon the abdomen and displacement frequently occurs in the abdominal organs. Worse than this is the results such bending and posture has on digestion and partial retarding of material passing through the intestines. This brings abnormal fatigue, that weary tired feeling, nervousness and constipation.

Other rapid work carried on by women and girls requires a sidebending position or sideway slouch. This position tends to cause bad breathing and invites tuberculosis. It is also liable to deform the shoulders and to produce uneven hip development or high hip.

Strain Causes Deformities

In seeking a change from these conditions wherever it is possible to do so try a change in work. This is not always possible but any time lost may save your health and keep you from deformity and ill health in after life. Women and girls who are compelled to sit at benches or in chairs all day are also subject to ill health and disease.

In many cases these positions have been found as bad as standing all day. Whenever possible the feet should rest on the floor. This relieves much strain and prevents many deformities. Very [illegible] women and girls [illegible]

[illegible]

Virginia Couple Wed Here

[illegible] Steve Owsley [illegible]

SOUTHEASTERN KY. MINE PICTURE BEING FILMED

KNOXVILLE [illegible]

[illegible] Harlan Kentucky and [illegible] the large studio in New York.

FIGHTING FOOLS OF FRESH WATER - - MUSCALUNGE, PIKE

A [illegible] and his [illegible] the weeds the muscalunge [illegible] a brilliant pair of dumbbells when you come to think about it. A grass pike will take a surface lure sixty [illegible] a hundred feet [illegible] behind a [illegible] *strike—what* the whole time the passing of the craft, the long line showing a white streak in the water and finally whirling [illegible] to the fish and he grabs the spoon [illegible]

You [illegible] a few inches deeper and you nail both lunge and pike [illegible] might strike both on the surface. The *thing is that a grass pike and a muscalunge* will take a piece of [illegible] trolling behind a boat when nature should have blessed them both with better sense.

They are boneheads of the first water.

When The Reel Hums

A wise old "I-Iknow" tells the world that the way to catch game fish *is to trick 'em—to shoot 'em something* that looks good to eat first and more [illegible] and above all to have the lure reeling hard toward you when it hits the water.

This is certainly true with speckled trout and holds in the majority of cases with large and smallmouth black bass but with grass pike and muscalunge it doesn't mean anything. *Of course a grass pike may not be considered a game fish* but surely muscalunge comes in the front rank as a fighting [illegible]

It was only yesterday my young son was casting along the edge of a [illegible]

[illegible] *It's only the [illegible] that the* [illegible] with [illegible] however [illegible]

Phantom Minnow Bait

I know the [illegible] the fish and the fisherman but in my opinion the phantom is [illegible] will hold a copper [illegible] fish. So will a [illegible] pound line [illegible] decide to smash [illegible] up [illegible] keep slack out of the line. That's your first and last lesson [illegible] of the battle takes care [illegible]

Muskey fishing reminds me somewhat of grizzly hunting. You start out [illegible] for shiners and your ultimate [illegible] is muscalunge—which you [illegible] realize. A grizzly has an independent air about him, sort of [illegible] want to know who runs things [illegible] this joint commence [illegible] nothing. That [illegible] the way with lunge.

In his water he's boss and when he gets hooked [illegible] just starts right in to show you how he conducts affairs in his neck of water. There are plenty of muscalunge left [illegible] many lakes [illegible] Canada.

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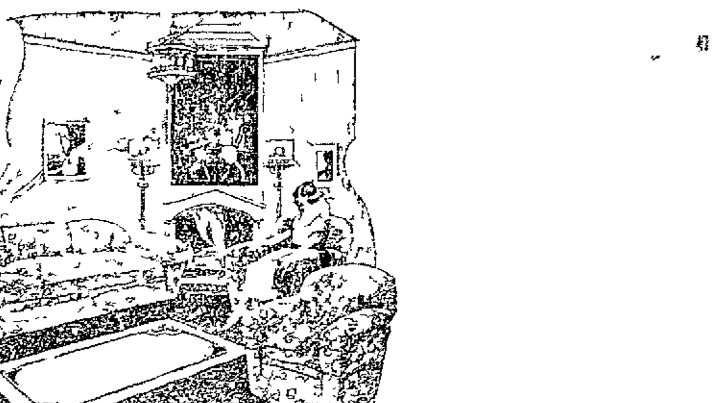

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LOCALS

D. W. Senter of Pineville has accepted a position as insurance agent for the Metropolitan Insurance company here.

Mrs. Jim Rolen was in Bryson today.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wallbrecht, Jr., are here to visit home folks and to attend the Elks convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowman and children Mary and Russell, who have been visiting in this section, left Pineville yesterday to return to their home in Lawton, Okla. Miss Jennie Bryant of Pineville went as far as Knoxville with them.

Mrs. J. M. Acton of Danville is visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans.

Nancy Walden, eleven- year-old daughter of Tom Walden, suffered a broken arm when she fell while skating Saturday night. She received treatment at the Brosheer-Brammett hospital.

David Mason, whose hip was dislocated in an accident some time ago left the hospital yesterday.

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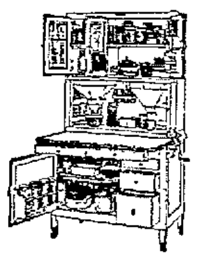

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STATE BANKERS TO MEET IN LOUISVILLE

About Eight Hundred Will Gather for Convention There September 5 and 6

By Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 14.—Approximately 800 bankers of Kentucky are expected to gather here September 5 and 6 to attend the thirty-first annual meeting of the Kentucky Bankers' Association, according to plans announced by Harry G. Smith, secretary. The complete program has just been announced by Mr. Smith.

The address of welcome will be delivered September 5 by Richard M. Bean, president of the Louisville National Bank. The response will be made by D. C. Edwards, president of the National Bank of London, Ky.

Owen D. Thomas, vice president of the Marion National Bank, Lebanon, Ky., and president of the association, will deliver an address. After the president's address is completed, Jessee Morgan, president of the First National Bank, Hazard, Ky., is scheduled to speak on "Coal from the Mine to the Consumer."

"The Boy of Today" is the subject of an address by Wm. Bryon Fourbach, managing director of the National Honesty Bureau, New York City. Reports will be made by Mr. Smith, A. B. Renaker, of the People's Bank, Burlington, and F. P. Stum, president of the Farmers National Bank, Madisonville.

F. C. Dorsey, assistant vice president of the Liberty Insurance Bank, Louisville, will make the report of the agricultural committee as the first event of the second session September 6. A. E. Adams, chairman of the Federal legislative committee of the American Bankers' Association and president of the First National Bank, Youngstown, Ohio, is to speak on "Alarming Laws."

William G. Edens, vice president of the Central Trust Company, Chicago, and member of the Dixie Highway Commission for Illinois will speak on "Co-operation the Key to Success in Trunk Line Highway Improvement."

Edward F. Houett, vice president and general counsel of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, will discuss "The Anti-Railroad Legislation to be Proposed in the Next Congress."

West Funeral Tomorrow

Funeral services for George W. West pioneer citizen of Middlesboro who died yesterday, will be conducted at the M. E. Church South, at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon by the Rev. W. K McClure. Interment will be at the Raines cemetery.

Busses Transfer Passengers

On account of the repairs being made on the Middlesboro-Tazewell road bus passengers transfer and walk around the place where the work is being done. One bus runs from Middlesboro to the place and the other from Tazewell.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Middlesboro, Ky., at the office of the Clerk of said city, up to noon on the 30th day of August, 1923, will receive sealed bids for the construction, repair, reconstruction and improvement, including curbing and guttering, of Lynnwood Road from the East curb line of Englewood Road to the East curb line of 25th Street; and 18th Street from the North curb line of Cumberland Avenue to the North curb line of Lothbury Avenue; and 19th Street from the North curb line of Cumberland Avenue to the South curb line of Lothbury Avenue, including the intersections thereof, in Middlesboro, Ky., at the exclusive cost of the owners of real estate abutting said streets in accerdance with ordinances, plans, and specifications heretofore adopted by the Board of Council of the City of Middlesboro, Ky., and of record in the office of the Clerk of said city.

Said bids will be received for the construction, repair, reconstruction and improvement of said streets competitively with concrete base and concrete wearing surface, concrete base with Kentucky Rock Asphalt wearing surface and limestone base with Kentucky Rock Asphalt wearing surface in accordance with plans and specifications for each of said types of improvement heretofore adopted by the Board of Council of said city by ordinances of record in the office of the Clerk of said city in Minute book "F", page 463 etc., Minute book "G", page 67 etc., Minute book "G", page 144 etc., Minute book "G", page 495 etc.

Bids to be accompanied by certified check for $3,000.00.

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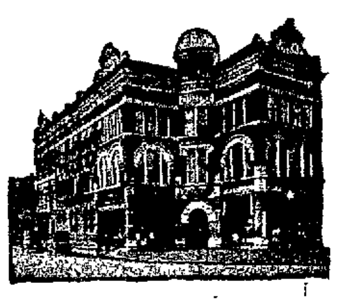

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By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. [illegible]

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To Mrs. Harding it was a bright spot in a dark hour of her life. Speeding toward Washington she thus described it to friends on the train, telling how she had watched the little stray among the feet of those gathered about the casket and had drawn comfort even in that moment from his coming.

SEVEN DEAD, IN TRAIN COLLISION

Wreck at Fowler, Colo., Yesterday—One Train Detouring Over Other's Tracks

By Associated Press

PUEBLO, Aug. 14.—Seven [illegible] and firemen were killed in a head-on collision between Colorado and Southern and Santa Fe passenger trains at Fowler, Colorado early today. Due to washouts on its tracks, the Colorado and Southern was detouring over the Santa Fe.

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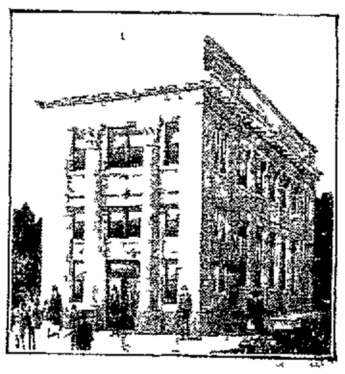

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KENTUCKY KEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Steady Progress and Prosperity Assumed if Encouraged by Bublic Opinion

Home building, business expansion and national development are steadily and surely progressing. Railroads reach out into new territory, wage schedules improve and prosperity is assured when industries and investment are encouraged and protected by sound, sober public opinion.

Louisville—New Floyd's Fork bridge completed.

Pineville—Work to start at once on grading Pineville-Harlan road.

Louisville—Walker Bag Company capital $100,000, to establish business in this city.

Brooksville—Bracken County Review installs new power motor.

Cloveport—Gas company laying new 4-inch pipeline across bridge connecting with East End line.

Louisville—Ewald Spring Service Company erects new building adjoining present plant.

Harrodsburg—Hotel Harrod to be remodeled.

Danville—Dix River Power Company plans construction of dam to supply power to city.

Maysville—Methodist church on Forest evenue to be improved.

Newport—Contract let to National Colotype Company for making 1924 auto license tags.

Louisville—Louisville & Cincinnati Packet Company to build twin steamers costing $300,000 each.

Louisville—Consolidated Realty Company to spend $15,000 remodeling structure at Second and Liberty streets.

Harrodsburg—New high school building on Lexington avenue rapidly nearing completion.

Broadhead—Work commenced on new bridge over Dix river.

Kentucky's 1923 acreage of tobacco is approximately 567,000 acres, as compared with 525,000 acres last year.

Hawesville—New tobacco warehouse to be constructed.

Louisville —Italian-American club building to be erected on Broadway, to cost approximately $75,000.

Adairville—Wheat crops in this and adjacent counties best in ten years.

Louisville—New $1,500,000 Brown hotel at Fourth street and Broadway to be completed in October.

Oat crop in state estimated 5,027,000 bushels, as compared with 4,282,000 bushels last year.

Winchester—New $70,000 theatre to be built.

Louisville—Barow building on Jefferson street sold for $101,200.

Hazard—Louisville & Nashville Railroad constructing new freight platform.

Louisville—Tobe Greiner Company's new planing mill reports record business.

Hickman—Cotton acreage in this county for 1923 is 25 per cent greater than last year.

Winchester—Cocbee Limestone Company, incorporated with $200,000 capital to develop local limestone area.

Louisville—C. Robert Peter & Company to open new subdivision at Eastern Parkway and Preston street.

MOREHEAD NORMAL SITE ACCEPTED

Colvin Will Name New School's President When He Returns From Vacation

By Associated Press

FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 14.—A site offered by Morehead for the new normal school for Eastern Kentucky has been accepted by the State Normal School Commission and the report has been certified to George Colvin, state superintendent, according to an announcement today by Judge E. C. Grear, chairman of the commission. Colvin, upon his return from his vacation in a few days is expected to name the president for the school.

Police Court News

Charles Rogers, C. C. Rice, Lawrence Dave, Sam McLathra colored, and George Frazer, charged with drunkenness, were fined $14.25. John Parker, Elza Bowman, John Bowman, Olan Walker, Doe Sneed and Bunt Bowman, negroes charged with gaming, were each fined $24.25. Oliver Bunch, Vernon Goin, Clifford Fry and Doe Green, charged with disorderly conduct, were each fined. Eugene Standifer, charged with having liquor in possession, was fined $100 and costs. W. M. Stone, colored, charged with breach of peace, was fined $14.25. Other cases were postponed and one was dismissed.

Axle Broken, Car Overturns

S. E. Daniels was thrown from his car when it plunged out of the road near Ely Sunday afternoon, though was not injured except for a few slight scratches. The axle of the car was broken which defect caused it to leave the road and turn over. Except for the broken axle it was not damaged.

High Cost of Building Due to Luxuries in Labor and Material Lumber Dealer's Survey Shows

Years ago, when the "high cost of living" was a bagatelle compared to what it is now, the late J. J. Hill said, that after all the problem was not the high cost of living, but the cost of high living. Studies of the building situation in the various parts of the country indicates strongly—according to a review by the National Lumber Manufacturers' association—that a substantion proportion of the increased cost of construction nowadays as compared with that of ten years ago, is due not so much to the high cost of materials and labor as to the cost of luxuries in both.

The New Jersey Lumbermens' association, after a survey of comparative building costs in that state, points out that there really is no parallel between the cost of dwelling house now and of the corresponding house ten years ago. "As a matter of fact," says that association, "such comparison is not possible because an entirely different type of house is being constructed at the present time. You will find in the most unpretentious house that is being built today many or all of the following: Sun parlor, window seats, open fireplace, plate rail and panels, kitchen cabinet, expensive electric and bath room fixtures, combination ranges, beam ceilings, built-in bookcases, colonades, breakfast nook, oak flooring, hardwood trim. All or many of these items were considered luxuries of fixtures even ten years ago, and werenot considered a part of the construction cost; and yet today they are considered to be a necessity and add very materially to the construction cost

The association found that the lumber for house bill, which cost $1,775 at Atlantic City in April, 1920, cost in April of this year $1,325. Lumber for a typical small house bill in Newark, which amounted to $1,201 in 1920, now amounts to 87.77. Altogether the association compared prices in 1920 and 1923 on 33 identical bills in as many different cities. The smallest showing in favor of 1923 was a reduction of 17 per cent at Perth Amboy and the most favorable showing was 34 per cent at Rutherford; the average was 27.4 per cent. The New Jersey association puts the lumber cost of a frame house at less than 30 per cent of the whole.

In Wisconsin a lumber dealer at Fox Lake finds that a house there, which cost $7,828 in 1920 can now be built for $5,278—a complete home with seven rooms and bath, front and rear porches. The lumber cost of this house in 1920 was $3,600, replaceable now for $2,450 Comparative lumber bills for May, 1920, and May, 1923, were estimated by 39 lumber dealers in as many different Wisconsin cities and villages, with the reduction in favor of 1923 ranging from 10 per cent to 33 per cent.

The Northwestern Lumbermens' association, of Minneapolis, had ten different bills in as many different cities and towns in Minnesota, Iowa and South Dakota, figured for May, 1920, and May, 1923. The estimates for the latter year average 26.1 lower than for the former year.

The Cleveland Board of Lumber Dealers calculates that a small house of six rooms requires 17,820 feet of lumber. In March, 1920, this amount of lumber cost $2,023.48. In May, 1923, and it would be somewhat less today, it cost $1,370—a decline of $653.48, or about 23 per cent. The total cost of this house—22x26, full two stories, with slate roof, furnace and wash trays, etc.—was $6,012 in 1920 and $4,940.05 in 1923

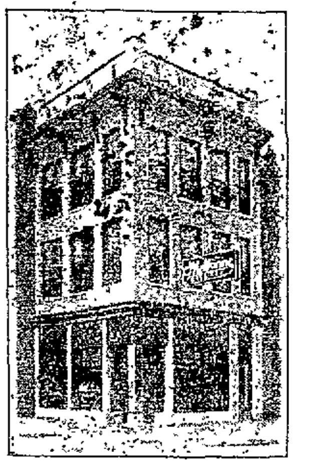
In fairness it should be pointed out that back in 1914 the lumber in this house would have cost only $619, but it is not to be expected that such a house will ever again be built in America at such a lumber cost.

COOLIDGE WILL BE CANDIDATE

Senator Moses Declares President Now Out-Stand Figure on Republican Horizon

By Associated Press.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 14.—United States Senator George Moses, in a statement here today, declared President Calvin Coolidge would be a candidate for Republican presidential nomination next year and that he ought to have a solid New England delegation. The statement said President Harding's death made a great change in the political landscape and that Coolidge is now the outstanding figure on Republican horizon.



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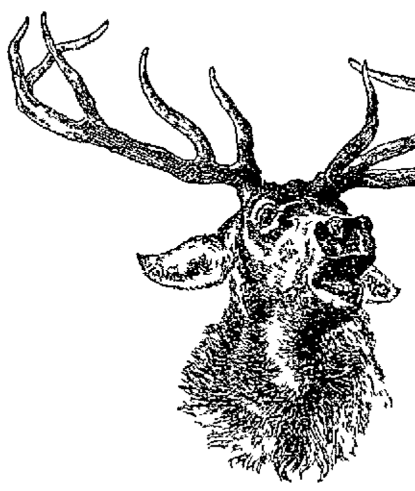

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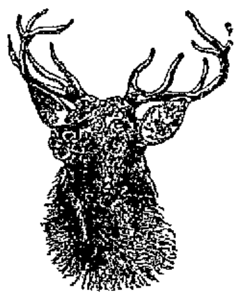

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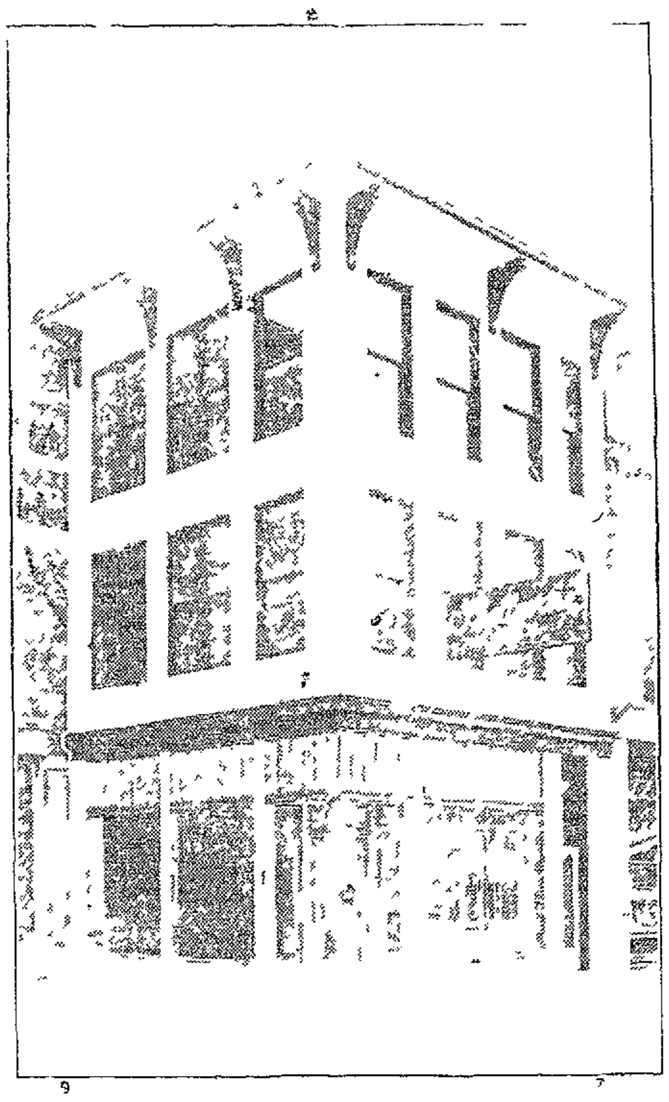

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